AMTRAK Information Ridership & Endpoint OTP

Virginia financially supports four Amtrak routes which connect the Commonwealth to destinations in the Northeast. Ridership for state-supported trains is listed below. Information is reported on the federal fiscal year (FFY) schedule (October – September). Second train to Norfolk, VA started March 4, 2019 and was an extension of a daily roundtrip between Washington D.C. and Richmond. Amtrak train schedules were optimized for Washington - Norfolk, Washington - Newport News and Washington - Richmond routes as part of start of second Norfolk train.

Roanoke
One daily roundtrip between Roanoke, VA and Washington, DC/Northeast Corridor

	Ridership		
Month	FFY19	FFY18	% Chg.
Oct	19,636	16,311	+20.4
Nov	20,509	19,357	+6.0
Dec	19,872	20,620	-3.6
Jan	14,862	15,163	-2.0
Feb	12,717	12,934	-1.7
Mar	17,509	16,338	+7.2
Apr			
May			
Jun			
Jul			
Aug			
Sep			
YTD	105,105	100,723	+4.4

Newport News Two daily roundtrips between Newport News, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

	Ridership		
Month	FFY19	FFY18	% Chg.
Oct	28,660	28,481	+0.6
Nov	32,502	31,124	+4.4
Dec	31,290	31,262	0.1
Jan	21,436	20,535	+4.4
Feb	19,986	19,049	+4.9
Mar	25,143	25,546	-1.6
Apr			
May			
Jun			
Jul			
Aug			
Sep			
YTD	159,017	155,997	+1.9

Norfolk Two daily roundtrips between Norfolk, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

	Ridership			
Month	FFY19	FFY18	% Chg.	
Oct	13,273	12,267	+8.2	
Nov	14,877	13,806	+7.8	
Dec	14,742	14,472	+1.9	
Jan	10,517	10,067	+4.5	
Feb	9,941	9,748	+2.0	
Mar	20,153	12,215	+65.0	
Apr				
May				
Jun				
Jul				
Aug				
Sep				
YTD	83,503	72,576	+15.1	

Richmond One daily roundtrip between Richmond, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

	Ridership		
Month	FFY19	FFY18	% Chg.
Oct	14,300	13,892	+2.9
Nov	15,454	15,098	+2.4
Dec	14,440	15,379	-6.1
Jan	10,557	12,405	-14.9
Feb	10,262	11,132	-7.8
Mar	8,014	12,848	-37.6
Apr			
May			
Jun			
Jul			
Aug			
Sep			
YTD	73,027	80,754	-9.6

Amtrak Endpoint On-Time Performance Southbound Northeast Regionals Terminating in Virginia Q2 FY2019

Terminal	Period	Trains Operated	Trains On-Time	ОТР
Roanoke	Jan 2019	31	29	94%
	Feb 2019	28	28	100%
	Mar 2019	31	30	97%
Norfolk	Jan 2019	31	28	90%
	Feb 2019	28	19	68%
	Mar 2019	58	43	74%
Newport News	Jan 2019	62	38	61%
	Feb 2019	56	36	65%
	Mar 2019	62	30	48%
Richmond	Jan 2019	62	46	74%
	Feb 2019	56	44	78%
	Mar 2019	34	25	74%

A train is On-Time at endpoint if it arrives within mileage-based tolerance. Source: OTP MRS.

Amtrak Endpoint On-Time Performance Northbound Northeast Regionals Originating in Virginia Q2 FY2019

Terminal	Period	Trains Operated	Trains On-Time	ОТР
Roanoke	Jan 2019	31	25	81%
	Feb 2019	28	24	86%
	Mar 2019	31	30	97%
Norfolk	Jan 2019	31	30	97%
	Feb 2019	28	26	93%
	Mar 2019	58	45	78%
Newport News	Jan 2019	62	51	82%
	Feb 2019	56	47	84%
	Mar 2019	62	46	74%
Richmond	Jan 2019	62	56	90%
	Feb 2019	56	53	94%
	Mar 2019	34	27	78%

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Virginia is also served by Amtrak's long-distance services, including the Auto-train, Cardinal, Carolinian, Crescent, Palmetto, Silver Meteor, and Silver Star. Additional information on all Amtrak trains is available on Amtrak's website: https://www.amtrak.com/home.html